

STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State: Pennsylvania

INCOME ELIGIBILITY LEVELS (Continued)

C. QUALIFIED MEDICARE BENEFICIARIES WITH INCOMES RELATED TO FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL

The levels for determining income eligibility for groups of qualified Medicare beneficiaries under the provisions of section 1905(p)(2)(A) of the Act are as follows:

1. NON-SECTION 1902(f) STATES

a. Based on the following percent of the official Federal income poverty level:

Eff. Jan. 1, 1989: 85 percent X 100 percent (no more than 100)

Eff. Jan. 1, 1990: 90 percent X 100 percent (no more than 100)

Eff. Jan. 1, 1991: 100 percent

Eff. Jan. 1, 1992: 100 percent

b. Levels:

Family Size

Income Levels *

 1
 2

\$
\$

* Income levels are established by family size in accordance with 133% of the Federal Poverty Income Guidelines issued annually by the Department of Health and Human Services.

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C. QUALIFIED MEDICARE BENEFICIARIES WITH INCOMES RELATED TO FEDERAL POVERTY LEVEL

2. SECTION 1902(f) STATES WHICH AS OF JANUARY 1, 1989 USED INCOME STANDARDS MORE RESTRICTIVE THAN SSI

a. Based on the following percent of the official Federal income poverty level:

Eff. Jan. 1, 1989: 80 percent percent (no more than 100)

Eff. Jan. 1, 1990: 85 percent percent (no more than 100)

Eff. Jan. 1, 1991: 95 percent percent (no more than 100)

Eff. Jan. 1, 1992: 100 percent

b. Levels:

Family Size

Income Levels

 1
 2

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NOT APPLICABLE IN PENNSYLVANIA

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D. MEDICALLY NEEDY

☒ Applicable to all groups.

☐ Applicable to all groups except those specified below. Excepted group income levels are also listed on an attached page 3.

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
Family Size	Net income level protected for maintenance for 6 months	Amount by which Column (2) exceeds limits specified in 42 CFR	Net income level for persons living in rural areas for _____ months	Amount by which Column (4) exceeds limits specified in 42 CFR
<input type="checkbox"/> urban only		435.1007 ^{1/}		435.1007 ^{1/}
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> urban & rural				
1*	\$ 2,550	\$ 0	\$ Does not apply	\$ Does not apply
2	\$ 2,650	\$ 0	\$ Does not apply	\$ Does not apply
3	\$ 2,800	\$ 0	\$ Does not apply	\$ Does not apply
4	\$ 3,400	\$ 0	\$ Does not apply	\$ Does not apply

For each additional person, add:

\$ 550 \$ \$

^{1/} The agency has methods for excluding from its claim for FFP payments made on behalf of individuals whose income exceeds these limits.

* See attachment

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<input type="checkbox"/> urban only		435.1007 ^{1/}		435.1007 ^{1/}
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> urban & rural				
5	\$ 4,050	\$ 0	\$ Does not apply	\$ Does not apply
6	\$ 4,550	\$ 0	\$ Does not apply	\$ Does not apply
7	\$	\$	\$	\$
8	\$	\$	\$	\$
9	\$	\$	\$	\$
10	\$	\$	\$	\$

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STATE Pennsylvania

Pennsylvania's medically needy income level (MNIL) for one person is related to the standard for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) payment for a single person (including the State Supplement) rounded to the nearest dollar. Thus, the MNIL does meet the "reasonableness" standard at 42 CFR \$435.812(b)(1).

The MNIL for one person also meets the Federal Financial Participation requirements at 42 CFR \$435.1007(a)(2) because it is 133 1/3% of an amount reasonably related to our highest Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) payment for a family of two.

The MNIL for one person is 96% of the MNIL for a household of two persons. The AFDC payment for one person is based on the needs of a child who is not responsible for shelter expenses and is not living alone. The MNIL for one person is based on the needs of an adult who is living alone, who is responsible for housing expenses, and does not benefit from the economics of scale applicable to households. The amount used for the needs of one adult is reasonably related (96%) to the needs of an adult living with one child.

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